

University South Neighborhood Association

Meeting Memorandum

July 2, 2019

The meeting of Tuesday, July 2, 2019, was called to order by Sara Corrigan, followed by the pledge of allegiance.

Treasurer Shannon Stigleman reported a balance of around \$380 in our bank account.

The minutes to the last meeting were approved.

Upcoming events:

1. July 11, at 6:00: Sector meeting at 401 Columbia Street
2. July 16, 7:00 to 9:00 a.m.: Coffee with a cop at Chick-Fil-A at Cross Pointe
3. July 21-27: Vanderburgh County Fair
4. July 24, 5:30 to 7:00 p.m.: Traveling City Hall at Easter Seals Rehab Center, 3701 Bellemeade Ave.
5. August 3, 8:00 to 10:00 a.m.: "Clean Evansville" at Wesselman Park

Free concerts:

1. July 11, 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.: Howell Park with Kenna Elpers
2. July 25, 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.: Lorraine Park with The Honey Vines
3. August 8, 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.: Bayard Park with Zion Reggae

Guest speakers included Alex Burton, running for 4th Ward City Council and Natalie Rascher, running for 2nd Ward City Council. Natalie will have a "Picnic in the Park" at Lorraine Park on July 31, from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. and another one on August 3 at Vann Park from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

An update was given of the observations of a rental property on Runnymede Avenue and was stated that the residents in the house are not causing any issues.

It was stressed by Sara that the best way to improve the neighborhood is to communicate and report any issues that are seen or heard. "Silence is consent".

Eric Belford gave the crime report, since Chad Diedrich was on vacation.

Mitch Luman gave a presentation on establishing block captains. Mitch will distribute a survey at the August meeting to assess current neighborhood issues.

The northern half of the neighborhood has more alleys than the south part. We want to take inventory of the conditions of the alleys. Report any problems, such as re-stoning, large potholes, etc.

The possible agenda for the September meeting will be regarding a vacant house on South Benningoff and in October, the Fire Department will demonstrate the new generation of fire prevention.

The end of the meeting, Eric Belford answered questions from the residents of how to report any issues they have.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:30.

The next meeting will be Tuesday, August 6, at the Lustron House and a representative of Angel Mounds will give a talk on the topic of "Neighborhood Nudge".